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SRI K. VINAYAKAM :—" What is the price of petrol per gallon in Nayudupet and Tirupati? Is there a big difference between the price obtaining in Madras and other places? "

THE HON. DR. U. KRISHNA RAO :—" The price obtaining in Madras at the main installation is Rs. 2–9–6; at Parry's Corner and Mylapore, it is Rs. 2–9–9. At Tirupati it is Rs. 2–13–6, at Nellore Rs. 2–12–9 and at Nayudupet Rs. 2–12–9."

SRI P. RAMAMURTHI :—" When the Government are consuming so much of petrol per day, may I know why they have not been, able to obtain petrol from the bulk supplier and the usual commission they give to their own agents? "

THE HON. DR. U. KRISHNA RAO :—" I should like the idea to be put in a separate question."

SRI V. BALAKRISHNAN :—" Why should not the Government open a bunk of their own at Parry's Corner? "

THE HON. DR. U. KRISHNA RAO :—" The hon. Member may put a separate question."

*Enforcement of the Madras Civil and Village Courts (Amendment) Act, 1951.*

* 97 *Q.*—SRI Y. MANJAYA SHETTY : Will the Hon. the Minister for Law be pleased to state—

(*a*) when the Government propose to enforce the Madras Civil and Village Courts (Amendment) Act of 1951; and

(*b*) the reasons for not enforcing the same till now?

THE HON. SRI K. P. KUTTIKRISHNAN NAIR :—" (*a*) & (*b*) The hon. Member is referred to the answer to question No. 282 given on the floor of this House on 5th December 1952. The position remains the same."

SRI Y. MANJAYA SHETTY :—" As the Act is intended to give relief to the litigant public, will the Government give an assurance that it will be enforced immediately after the Court Fees Act is amended, without further delay? "

THE HON. SRI K. P. KUTTIKRISHNAN NAIR :—" After the Court Fees Act and the Suits Valuation Act are amended, this can be implemented."

MR. SPEAKER :—" Questions over. Next item on the agenda."

SRI G. C. KONDIAH :—On a point of information, Sir."

MR. SPEAKER :—" In regard to points of information, let the hon. Member come to my Chamber."